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It is certified that errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent should be corrected as shown below;

Col.5, line 48, after "4.0 wt." insert --%--.

Col. 7, line 25, after "outlined in", insert -- Table 4--.

Col. 8, Table 4, line 15, insert whole numbers lining up with decimals in columns --77, 74, 79, 82--.

Col.8, line 43, "1 10", should read --110°--

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